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(Rule 53(b) Continuation or Divisional)

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This requests a Continuation or Divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of prior application:

Appl. No.:	09/836,289	Group Art Unit:	3637
Filed on:	April 18, 2001	Examiner:	J. Wilkens
Entitled:	Multiple-Fold Automatic Umbrella With Smoothly Wound Multiple-Roper		

- 1. The entire disclosure of the pending, prior application is hereby incorporated by reference.
- 2. Submitted herewith is a copy of the complete prior application as filed.
- 3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior nonprovisional application, 37 CFR 1.53(b)(1). **DELETE** the following inventor(s): _____.
- 4. Submitted herewith is a copy of the signed Oath/Declaration from the prior application.
- 5. Small entity status is claimed.
- 6. A One- month Petition for Extension of Time is filed concurrently in the prior application.
- 7. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 501874.
- 8. A check in the amount of \$ 375.00 is submitted herewith.
- 9. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: - - This application is a
 Continuation Division of nonprovisional application serial number 09/836,289 filed April 18, 2001. - -
- 10. Cancel in this application original claims 1-4 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. At least one independent claim is retained.
- 11. The prior application is assigned of record to: Fu Tai Umbrella Works, Ltd., Taipei Hsien, Taiwan, R.O.C.
- 12. Priority is claimed based on each foreign application so listed in the Oath/Declaration and a certified copy of each was filed in U.S. application number 09/836,289 filed April 18, 2001.
- 13. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- 14. Submitted herewith is an Application Data Sheet.
- 15. Other: Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form-1449 and six references.

THE FILING FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

(Small Entity) Basic Fee:\$375.00

Total Claims: 5 - 20 = 0 X \$18 = - 0 -
Independent Claims: 1 - 3 = 0 X \$84 = - 0 -

Total Fee:\$375.00

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